

# Mercy

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$\text{♩} = 126$

B.  $\text{Bass clef, F major, common time}$

5 **A** G C/G G<sup>7</sup> C/G G C/G G<sup>7</sup> [1.] C/G G

S. Yeah, yeah, yeah  
S. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah  
A. Yeah, yeah  
B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

Djm

Dr.

etc.

9 [2.] C<sup>9</sup>/D Cm<sup>9</sup> Gm C G<sup>7</sup>

S. - - - - - I love  
S. - - - - -  
A. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah  
B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

Djm

Dr.

etc.

**B** Gm<sup>7</sup> (*Djembe stops*)

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S. you, but I got - ta stay true. My mo rals got me on my  
I will be some thing on the side. but you got to un - der-

S. Oo\_\_ oo. Oo\_\_ oo.

A. oo, oo oo, oo

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

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S. knees, I beg you, please, stop play-ing games\_\_\_\_ I don't know what this  
stand that I need a man\_\_\_\_ who can take my hand\_\_\_\_

S. Oo oo. Oo oo.

A. oo, oo oo, oo

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

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D                    Cm<sup>9</sup>                    Gm

S. is but you got me good, just like you knew you would— I don't know what you do—

S. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah oo, oo.

A. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah oo, oo.

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

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D                    Cm<sup>9</sup>                    G<sup>7</sup>

S. — but you do it well, I'm un - der your spell. You got me beg-ging you for

S. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah oo, oo.

A. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah oo, oo.

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

**C** (Djembe restarts)

30 G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup> C/G G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup> C/G Gm/C

S. mer - cy. Why won't you re - lease me? You got me beg - ging you for

S. Yeah, yeah

A. Yeah, yeah

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

34 C Gm<sup>7</sup>/C C G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup>

S. mer - cy. Why won't you re lease me? I said re - lease

S. Yeah, yeah

A. Yeah, yeah

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom, yeah a dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

38 D C<sup>11</sup> G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup> | 1. C/G || 2.

S. me.. 2. Now you think that I

S. yeahyeah, yeahyeah, yeah yeah, yeahyeah. Yeah, yeah, yeahyeah, yeah yeah, yeahyeah, yeah, yeah,

A. yeahyeah, yeahyeah, yeah yeah, yeahyeah. Yeah, yeah, yeahyeah, yeah yeah, yeahyeah, yeah,

B. dom, dom, domdomdom dom, dom, domdomdom dom, dom, domdomdom dom, dom, domdom dom, dom, dom, domdomdom

B. Cl.

Org.

**D** NC

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S. I'm beg-ging you for mer - cy just why won't you re lease me? I'm beg-ging you for mer

S. Oo oo. Oo oo. Oo oo.

A. oo, oo oo, oo oo

CL men soft clapping, accented on third beat

48 (Drums tacet 1 bar)

S. - cy You got me beg - ging You got me beg - ging You got me beg - ging

S. You got me beg - ging You got me beg - ging You got me beg - ging

A. You got me beg - ging You got me beg - ging You got me beg - ging

E. Gtr.

CL men soft clapping, accented on third beat

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**E** G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup> C/G G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup> C/G Gm/C

S. Why won't you release me?  
I'm begging you for  
mer - cy.  
I'm beg - ging you for  
mer - cy.

S. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,

A. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

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C Gm<sup>7/C</sup> C G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup>

S. mer - cy. Why won't you release me? You got me beg - ging you for  
mer - cy. I'm beg - ging you for mer - cy. Why won't you re-

S. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,

A. Yeah, yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,  
yeah, yeah, yeah,

B. dom dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

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D C<sup>11</sup> G C/G Gm<sup>7</sup> C/G C/G

S. mer - - - - - lea - - - - - se cy - - - - - me? dom. dom. 2.I'm beg - ging you for Breakitdown!

S. yeah, yeah, yeah yeah, yeah\_ yeah, yeah yeah. Yeah, yeah, yeah yeah, yeah\_ yeah, yeah yeah, yeah, yeah,

A. yeah yeah, yeah yeah, yeah\_ yeah, yeah yeah. Yeah, yeah, yeah yeah, yeah\_ yeah, yeah yeah, yeah,

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.

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**F** G<sup>7</sup>

S. You got me beg - ging beg-ging you for mer - cy. You got me beg - ging down on my knees. I said,

S. Oo oo. Oo oo.

A. oo, oo oo, oo

B. dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom, dom, dom dom dom

B. Cl.

Org.